contracts with private firms, institutions, and individuals for the purpose of conducting research or surveys necessary to enable the Commission to discharge its duties under this subtitle.

(f) STAFF.—(1) The Commission shall appoint an executive director of the Commission who shall be compensated at a rate fixed by the Commission, but which shall not exceed the rate established for level V of the Executive Schedule under title 5, United States Code.

(2) In addition to the executive director, the Commission may appoint and fix the compensation of such personnel as it deems advisable, in accordance with the provisions of title 5, United States Code, governing appointments to the competitive service, and the provisions of chapter 51 and subchapter In of chapter 53 of such title, relating to classification and General Schedule pay rates.

(g) ADVISORY COMMITTEE.—The Commission shall be considered an advisory committee within the meaning of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App.).

SEC 506. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out this title not to exceed $2,000,000 for fiscal year 1990 and $1,000,000 for fiscal year 1991. Funds appropriated under this section shall remain available until expended.

SEC. 507. SUNSET.

The Commission shall terminate upon the expiration of 18 months following the appointment of all the members under section 503(a).

i2uscu37aa TITLE VI—NATIONAL COMMISSION ON NATIVE AMERICAN, ALASKA NATIVE, AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN HOUSING

SEC. 601. ESTABLISHMENT.

There is established a Commission to be known as the National Commission on American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian Housing (hereinafter in this section referred to as the "Commission").

SEC. 602. MEMBERSHIP.

(a) APPOINTMENT.—<1) The Commission shall be composed of 12

members, appointed not later than 60 days after amounts are appropriated pursuant to section 605 of this Act or made available from non-Federal sources. The members shall be appointed as follows:

(1) 2 members to be appointed by the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development;

(2) 2 members appointed by the Chairman and the Ranking Minority Member of the Select Committee on Indian Affairs of the Senate;

(3) 3 members appointed by the Chairman and the Ranking Minority Member of the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development of the Committee on Banking, Finance, and Urban Affairs of the House of Representatives;

(D) 3 members appointed by the Chairman and Ranking Minority Member of the Subcommittee on Housing and Urban